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**H. Nguyen**

Group Art Unit  
**2812**

Title: **CONDUCTOR POSTS, CONSTRUCTION FOR AND METHOD OF FABRICATING SEMICONDUCTOR INTEGRATED CIRCUIT CHIPS...**

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Honorable Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

In response to the Restriction Requirement dated June 13, 2002, the following election and remarks are respectfully submitted in connection with the above-identified application.

**In the Claims:**

Applicant elects the Group I invention including claims 17-21 for further examination on the merits on the present application. This election is without traverse.